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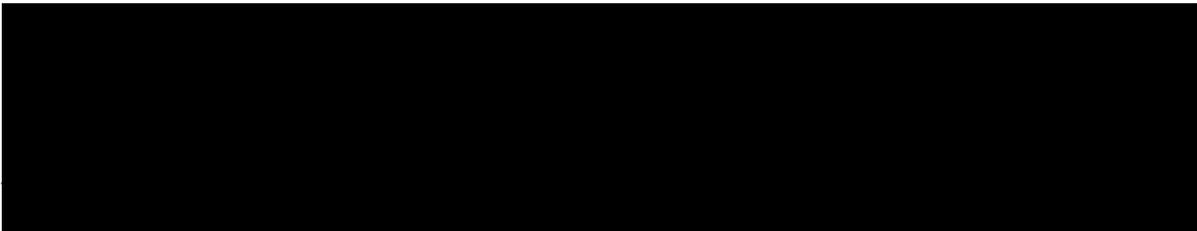
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1. President Gonzalez Videla made a speech at the National Women's Club Conference on 21 September at which he was reported as stating that he would use the sword if necessary on those who opposed him. He also reportedly stated that he would govern with force because political parties are no good and are only concerned with obtaining jobs for members. In another part of his speech he stated that the Communist want Chile to be a Yugoslavia and him a Tito. At this point in his speech three Communist women, Elena Cafarena, Julieta Campusano, and Maria Marchant, walked out of the auditorium.
2. Attempts were made to minimize and keep quiet the actual conditions of the President's speech. High cabinet and congressional officials only learned of it later, and its disclosure aroused a meeting of the Comision Mixta (Mixed Senatorial Committee), which was convened on 23 September to discuss calling the Senate into a special session in order to pass on Finance Minister Jorge Alessandri's economic plan. Committee members are reported to have made an official request that (fnu) Coloma, Secretary of the Chamber of Deputies, ask the President to present an explanation of this speech.

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